

# The Paducah Evening Sun.

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## REELFOOT WILL BE FAVORITE IN THE FREE-FOR-ALL

Big Crowd Expected to Attend Races This Afternoon at Fair Ground.

Yesterday's Events Were Exciting and Close.

### ONE TIE RACE DEVELOPED

One of the largest crowds that ever went to a race track in the Paducah will attend the races this afternoon, as the big free-for-all race that has drawn horses of merit, will be on. The bookmakers no doubt will do a land office business. Most of the stores will close about 1 o'clock by agreement and every one will go to the race track. Many people from the county and Illinois were in the city, and the hotel registers have increased in length. Reelfoot is a favorite in the big race, although there is talk that a dark horse may emerge from the bunch. The last two days of the races will be stronger than the first two, while this afternoon will see the strongest program.

### Yesterday's Races.

Another large crowd watched the horses race yesterday and cheered the winner whether it meant a financial loss to him or not. The crowd while minus a few women after "Ladies Day" was in good spirits, and owing to the closeness in the 2:24 race the big share of the crowd could not leave the grandstand until the race was continued until today owing to darkness. The race was the warmest fight yet, and after five nerve-racking heats it was a tie for first money between Belle T., owned by E. D. Smith, of Evansville, and Sam Patch, owned by T. J. Reid, of Paducah, and driven by Thomas Settle. It was a race with one up and one down so that the crowd could not get away from the track. It was the only way that the race could be a tie when Sam Patch went under the wire first and Belle T. third in the fifth heat. Had the Belle not allowed Sarah McClure to push her out by a nose, the race would have been off with Belle T. a good winner.

Already it was growing dark, and before a rest of 25 minutes could be given, starting judge W. L. Talbot decided to postpone it until the first race for today, which proved agreeable to the two owners, who would do anything to win the next heat.

The race opened with the first heat of the 2:25 trot and the entries were: Prince of Pilsen, owned by E. D. Smith, of Evansville; Baroness, owned by George Goodman, and Adward, owned by J. E. McElwain, of Hopkinsville. In the first heat Adward refused to trot, and Baroness and Prince of Pilsen were in front, with Baroness in the lead. After a good run, she broke, and Prince of Pilsen went up, and maintained the lead until the wire was crossed. Time of heat, 2:33.

In the second heat of the first score down they were given the word with Prince of Pilsen in the lead. In the first turn he broke, but gained ground instead of losing, while Baroness followed closely. Prince of Pilsen led the half mile, and again on the turn broke, but gained territory in a way that made the crowd take notice. On the home stretch Baroness broke, and Prince of Pilsen won easily, as Adward was left far in the rear. Time of heat, 2:29.

The third and deciding heat was won easily by Prince of Pilsen. Prince of Pilsen took the lead, and maintained it all the way, although for a few seconds Baroness pushed him. After the first half mile Baroness broke, was out of the run, and Prince of Pilsen captured the third heat with the greatest of ease. Time of heat, 2:33.

### The 2:24 Pace.

In the 2:24 pace where the crowd got a run for the admission charge, and also the "bookies" made a run on the crowd. The entries were: Belle T., owned by E. D. Smith, of Evansville; Sarah McClure, owned by M. M. Tucker, Lady May Carter, owned by S. T. Taylor, Peoria, Ill.; Gus B., owned by McElwain, of Columbus, Miss.; Sam Patch, owned by T. J. Reid. Much speculation had been indulged in, and stories of wonderful doings of Lady May Carter floated over the crowd swamped the book makers.

On the third score down the first heat was run with Sarah McClure in the lead at the start, with Sam Patch on her feet. Gus B. and Belle T. broke, but finished strong. In the finish Belle T. won second place from Sam Patch by a nose, while Sarah McClure was given first place. Time of heat, 2:29 1/4.

In the second heat they left in a bunch, but Sarah McClure took the

## Everything in Trigg County All Right, Excepting Soldiers, Says Report of Judge Cook's Grand Jury

Nine Alleged Night Riders Are Set Free by Jury of Their Peers and County Officials Are Complimented.

Paducah, Sept. 17.—(Special.)—The jury in the case of the nine men accused of night riding and whipping Dave Casady, returned a verdict of not guilty. The grand jury returned a report, saying that everything is peaceful in Trigg county and the officials are doing their whole duty. It criticizes the soldiers.

Judge Thomas B. Cook did not ask this grand jury to investigate reports that he and Commonwealth Attorney Smith are night riders.

### Regulation of Exchange.

London, Sept. 17.—The conference which Germany and Italy propose to hold at The Hague in 1909 is for the purpose of adopting, if possible, laws for the international regulation of exchange.

### Calvo Detective Here.

Detective Casey, of Cairo, was in Paducah today to attend the races at the fair ground. He was accompanied by several prominent Cairo people. "Her Collins" gave the visitors an automobile ride this morning.

### Blackmailers Again Foiled.

New York, Sept. 17.—Failing to receive the sum of \$2,000 they had demanded of Santa Reda, a well-to-do real estate dealer, blackmailers for the fourth time in a month sought to kill him and his family by setting fire to his home. Extraordinary measures were taken to prevent their escape, including the spring of all the outside doors of the home. All the family would have perished if a neighbor had not discovered the fire.

### Carrying a Weapon.

John Buford, colored, was arrested this morning by Patrolman Henry Singery on the charge of carrying a weapon concealed. Buford had been in a fight near the Illinois Central passenger's office, and Patrolman Singery got wind of the trouble. He rushed over and arrested Buford, who was trying to escape. When searched Buford had a big gun concealed in his pocket, and he was locked up.

### WASHINGTON NOT ADVISED AS TO CONFERENCE CALL.

Washington, Sept. 17.—No advice has been received at the state department concerning the request of Germany and Italy for a conference of the powers at The Hague on the subject of a universal treaty. It was stated that such a request probably will reach Washington in two or three weeks.

### Populists Active

J. W. Graham, Populist candidate for congress in the First district, will speak at the rally at Brandon chapel, Lyon county, between the rivers, tomorrow night.

### Dyson Infant Dies

The few days old infant of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyson, residing on the Benton road, died last night and was buried this afternoon in the family cemetery.

### Wright Retains Laurels

Paris, Sept. 17.—De Lagrange attempted to regain his aeroplane laurels today, but failed. He was up to minutes, beating his own record, but unseating Wright's.

### Fog in Chicago

Chicago, Sept. 17.—The heaviest fog in years is hanging over this city. There were a number of minor accidents. A girl in a foggy room walked out the third-story window and was fatally injured.

### Patrolman Singery Busy

Davy Johns, colored, was arrested this morning by Patrolman Henry Singery on a charge of breaking into the safe of the Thompson Transfer company. It is alleged that Johns broke the drawer to the safe and made way with \$20. He was nabbed by the tall cop at Eleventh street and Broadway and was carried to the police station, where he denied the charge.

Lead and had Gus B. for her partner. Belle T. was in a pocket for a short distance. Gus B. took the lead from

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## ASSASSIN SEEKS PARDON OF ROYAL CHIEF ASSASSIN

St. Petersburg, Sept. 17.—Police Chief Junin, of Pajantli, Russian Poland, was given a 12 year sentence for the murder of a prisoner suspected of holding reform views. Friends are working and probably will succeed in obtaining a pardon from the czar on the ground that the killing was due to over zeal in behalf of the government. The victim, Nicholas Grisel, was shot in cold blood.

### Miss Wilson Dies in Japan.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—A cablegram from Kobe, announced the death there of Miss Addie M. Wilson, a missionary, who has been in the east about two years. She was the daughter of Mrs. G. B. Wilson, of Clarksville, and well known over Tennessee.

### Treasury Statement.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, \$184,699,778; gold coin and bullion, \$36,353,440; gold certificates, \$28,599,790.

### New Patrolmen on Duty.

Patrolmen Walter England and John Bryan, newly elected, have started to work. Patrolmen England and Doyle are working at the Union station, while Patrolmen Blich and Bryan are patrolling the Fisherville beat. The new men handle the billy like veterans. England has badge 28 while Patrolman Bryan has badge No. 12 on his coat.

### Locomotive Mishap.

Locomotive No. 1912 started running in the round house of the Illinois Central railroad last night and bumped into the wall before it was stopped. The engine is for passenger service, and it is thought that the throttle was accidentally have been hit, as the engine jumped off the track and struck the wall. The wall stopped her progress and employer got ahead and shut off the steam. Fortunately no one was in front of the wild engine. The headlight was shattered a little.

### MEMORANDUM ENVOY TO U. S. HAS RESIGNED.

Washington, Sept. 17.—The report of the resignation of Minister Corea, of Nicaragua, he informed Acting Secretary of state Adee that he was returning to his country on a leave of absence and expected to be in Washington again about the first of December.

### New Librarian

Miss Jessie Hopkins, of Montgomery, Ala., has been elected librarian of the public library by the trustees to succeed Miss Marie Raynham, who resigned her position. Miss Hopkins is a graduate of the Carnegie library school, and recently she catalogued the library of the University of Georgia. She is a competent librarian and comes highly recommended. Miss Allie Bagby will remain the assistant librarian.

## DROUGHT FATAL TO VEGETABLES IN THIS SECTION

Farmers and gardeners on the market say that late crops and vegetables are almost ruined by the continued drought and it is too late for rains to do much good, especially to vegetables. Late corn is said to be standing the dry spell better than anything, but there are few fields that would mature now should the drought be broken this week. Passenger coaches coming into the Union station are all covered with dust and have the appearance of having crossed the desert, showing that the dry spell is general throughout the country.

The city street department has had several sprinklers running in the residence portion this week, but it has been an uneven fight against the dust, which covered one as soon as the streets are reached.

It has been five weeks now since rain fell in this section and there is yet no relief in sight.

## RICHMOND HOUSE SOLD BY COL. DALE TO PHILLIPS BROS.

Agent For Lee Line and His Brother From Dycusburg Take Charge.

Col. Bud Dale Retires After Eighteen Years.

### ENTERTAINED 165,000 GUESTS

Col. Bud Dale, who has been a popular hotel man in Paducah for 18 years, has sold his hotel, the New Richmond House, at First street and Broadway, to Mr. G. F. Phillips and brother, Dr. Taylor L. Phillips, of Dycusburg. Mr. G. F. Phillips is the agent in this city for the Lee line of steamers, of Memphis, the Ryman line, of Nashville, and the Chattanooga and Paducah packets. Dr. Phillips is a practicing physician at Dycusburg and will move to this city immediately. Colonel Dale will move his family from the hotel to Fourth and Adams street. The new proprietors will take charge of the New Richmond House Saturday afternoon.

Colonel Dale started in business with \$4 and did a \$350,000 business entertaining 165,000 guests.

### Hon. J. B. Wyatt May Run.

Hon. J. B. Wyatt, of Marshall, former representative of the legislative district of Lyon and Marshall counties, is spoken of as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state senator in this district. The only other candidate at present is Judge E. Barry, of the Benton Tribune.

### Fire Captain's Outing.

Captain Joe Collins, of the Central fire station, has returned to work after his vacation, and now Captain Ike Elliott, of the No. 4 fire station, is on his pleasure jaunt. During the captain's absence the company from the No. 1 station will answer all first alarms outside its district line, which is Clark street to Tennessee street, which is the northern boundary line of the No. 2 station.

### K. O. P.

Representatives Getting Ready for Grand Lodge.

Representatives from Paducah of the Knights of Pythias leave Saturday for Lexington, where they will attend the state meeting. The representatives are A. S. Barksdale, J. L. Atkins, R. L. Farmer and A. S. Young. A feature of the state meeting will be the dedication of the Widows' and Orphans' Home.

## DRAWING BUCKET FROM WELL WHEN STRICKEN DOWN

While drawing a bucket of water from a well yesterday, Mrs. Albert Baldridge, who resides on the Cairo road, about two miles from the city, was stricken with paralysis. Mrs. Baldridge fell to the ground, and was not found until several hours, when a neighbor passed the well. She was carried to the house and physician called. Today she is resting easier, but she is in a critical condition. She was Miss Florence McFadden, and is a sister of Mr. John McFadden, driver of the truck at the No. 4 fire station.

### WEATHER.



### CLOUDY

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, possibly rain by Friday night or Saturday. Highest temperature yesterday, 80; lowest today, 72.

## Proof of General Conspiracy Not Permitted in Hunt-Gardner Case-- Defense is Given a Severe Blow

Believed That Defense Intended to Rely on Justifiable Homicide to Save Alleged Slayers of Vaughn Bennett.

Clarksville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—In the criminal court in the Gardner-Hunt trial, after two hours' argument Judge Tyler ruled as irrelevant and therefore incompetent the question asked Chief Robinson on the witness stand relating to the alleged night rider conspiracy.

The defense, it is understood, proposed to prove that such a conspiracy existed but under this ruling they will be unable to introduce any testimony except that bearing directly upon this case. The judge stated that later he would rule further on this point.

In his argument Mr. Leech, of the defense, stated that he thought testimony relating to the entire situation was admissible. He said: "We have a tobacco association composed of a warehouse corporation to sell tobacco and those who are members pledge themselves to sell their tobacco through that corporation."

### Organization of Riders.

"There is a known organization called Night Riders, which are known by all, not encouraged by all, we know, but this state of affairs exists and in this case we propose to prove that this organization exists to promote the cause of the association."

"We are investigating the charge of murder. When these men left Clarksville they did not leave for the purpose of murder but to aid in putting down night riders. There was no malice because they could not feel that way against men they did not know."

Decisions were read from the supreme court in support of his argument, insisting that the entire history leading up to the act should be shown.

Mr. Savage, of the state, said he could not see how the state of facts now known should make the question propounded admissible.

"Where has any fact been shown to prove that there is any connection between the tobacco association and night riders," he asked.

"No proof that there is any such connection has been presented, and before the question becomes competent we are to assume that the association and night riders are the same, and many other things that we cannot do."

Mr. Fort said that to admit such testimony would mean that the case would be continued indefinitely, and would really be an admission that every crime committed within the past three or four years had been done by night riders.

### Chief Again Called.

Mr. Meeks, of the defense, spoke of the legality of the question. Chief of Police Robinson again took the stand following the court's ruling. He said that he made one mistake in regard to the return of the buggy; that Sam Moore was not in the buggy. Witness understood that the men were going to render aid to the people in the section where the night riders were seen. In his opinion, there was a great deal of feeling against the defendants here and they were afraid of violence if they were put in jail here. He said Henry Cook, John Gardner, H. H. Sory, Sam Moore and Wallace Hunt went out in the country that night.

### Sory a Special Officer.

The state again took the witness, who said that Sory was a special officer of the city and Cook was a constable and city guard. Witness said

## TELEPHONES ARE BEING INSTALLED ON I. C. RAILWAY

Work is being hurried up putting in the telephone system for the Illinois Central connecting every station between Louisville and Memphis with the line. When completed it is said many changes will be made and a number of telegraph offices discontinued entirely and trains handled by telephone, evading the extra expenses that has been forced upon the roads by the law, providing that telegraphers may work only nine hours went into effect.

Another feature of the system will be that railroad employees will have the privilege of communicating with other employees at any point on the line without charge, provided the conversation is in regard to official business.

It is expected the system will be in operation within two weeks time.

## EDISON TO ENTER FIELD OF AERIAL INVENTION SOON

Salt Lake, Sept. 17.—Edison is here. He says probably he will enter the field of the aerial invention. He predicts that within five years airplanes will be crossing the Atlantic in eighteen hours, the north pole will be reached in 40 hours and the world encircled in a week. He declares the dirigible balloon is a failure and the aeroplane impracticable. He suggests a circular application of the aeroplane principle and the human part reduced to mere mechanism as in the case of the automobile.

the party was organized by Mr. Sory to go to the country that night. At that time Sory had the same authority over the city guards that he did.

The chief did not authorize Sory to go to the country that night. At that time Sory had the same authority over the city guards that he did.

The next witness was Dr. C. R. Crouch, who was being examined when court took a recess.

### Sensational Evidence.

The most sensational testimony yet introduced in the Gardner-Hunt murder trial was given when Chief of Police J. E. Robinson told of a conversation with John Gardner, one of the defendants, upon their return to police headquarters on the night of the killing, in which Gardner said they had killed one or two men and two horses. It is now believed that the defendants will plead justifiable homicide.

When court convened for the afternoon session the attorneys had a tilt over turning over the grand jury records to defendants' attorneys. Herman Davis was the first witness called, but before the examination began Mr. Daniel, of the defense, asked the court if he would be permitted to have the papers now in the possession of Attorney-General Lyle. The latter stated that he had written this testimony for his own use, while examining witnesses in the grand jury room, and he regarded it as his private property. He also stated that the grand jury book was in the hands of the clerk of the court, which the defense had a right to and could obtain at any time.

Mr. Savage, of the state, argued that the proceedings of the grand jury should not be divulged at any time, and it seemed that the defense could only prove what was testified to before the grand jury by asking the witness if he stated such before that body. The court held there was no question before the court, and as the state counsel had agreed to let the defense have the papers spoken of at the morning session, there was nothing else to do now but to turn the papers over to the defense.

Squire A. L. Davis, who had been on the stand nearly all morning, was recalled and Herman Davis was sent out. Squire Davis said: "I have stated that I swore to a statement before the grand jury." Mr. Leech then read what was purported to be the statement made before the grand jury relating to the cloth on the face of Bennett, which was about the same as made by Ernest Woodson. Witness said he made a statement similar to that read. He said he found some loaded shells, about 35 size, in the pockets of Vaughn Bennett.

Mr. Savage, of the state, objected to the reading of parts of the sworn statement, but the court ruled that the question could be asked. Mr. Savage asked if the defense would agree to the paper being read to the jury, he would do so, because, otherwise, it would be incompetent.

### Oh, Look Who's Here!

Fulton, Ky., Sept. 17.—Last night the Democracy of Fulton county, under the leadership of the Young Men's Democratic club, unfurled its banner to the breezes, gave the yell for Bryan, and fired its thirteen-inch guns at the Republican enemy. The oratorical cannonade were the Hon. Joseph Huffaker and the Hon. Thomas Drewry, of Louisville, and ex-Lieutenant Governor Thorne, of Eminence.

### Odd Fellows at Fulton

G. Z. Umbaugh, grand patriarch of the state, Frank Digel and Harry L. Judd went to Fulton last night as the guests of the Fulton encampment No. 14. A class of six new members were initiated by the Fulton degree team. The Paducah Odd Fellows were loud in their praise of the excellent work of the degree team. The Paducah party returned at 1:35 o'clock this morning.

## CLARKSVILLE IS TERRORIZED BY THE NIGHT RIDERS

Montgomery County, Tennessee, Is Not Behind Kentucky Black Patch

Boycott is Driving Merchants to Verge of Ruin.

### PEOPLE ARE LEAVING STATE

Former citizens of Clarksville, Tenn., who have returned to Paducah from visits in that city, report conditions in Montgomery county, Tenn., that rival, if they do not excel, anything in the Black Patch of Kentucky. It was Montgomery county, where night riding found its birth place, although most of the big damage has been done in the Kentucky counties of the Third judicial district.

Montgomery county is terrorized, in spite of the fact that soldiers, detailed as possemen are on guard, as well as a local guard of Clarksville. Members of pioneer families of West Tennessee are leaving, some of them under advice of their physicians, that they are on the verge of a nervous collapse from constant vigilance to protect their crops, and the fear for the safety of their families.

Night after night the clatter of hoofs on the highways betoken the activity of the riders, and every morning someone finds a warning note with a bundle of sticks, matches or cartridges, fastened to his door. (No one goes out to investigate noises). The most minute details of community life are regulated by these outlaws.

Clarksville itself is infested with the organization, and the boycott is bringing some merchants close to ruin, coupled with the fact that not half the tobacco is sold, and collections are the worst in history. A man whose clerk belonged to the law and order league, was compelled to discharge him. Another was compelled to remove from his office the photograph of a public official, who had incurred the displeasure of the leading outlaws. Nothing is too petty for their attention.

In spite of the boldness and activity of the night riders, as everywhere in the black patch the overwhelming majority of citizens are against night riders; but they are intimidated, and they want such protection as will absolutely insure them against molestation before they will speak out.

### Horse Runs Away.

A horse hitched to a scavenger wagon and driven by a negro ran away on Broadway this morning, starting near the High school. The street was filled with school children at the time and several had narrow escapes but none were hurt. The wagon was completely demolished and pieces of the vehicle, harness and other things were scattered for several blocks.

### No Frisco Deal, Says Harriman.

New York, Sept. 17.—E. H. Harriman walked into his office in the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific headquarters shortly after noon today to take up his duties connected with the control of the two Pacifics, the Illinois Central, the Baltimore & Ohio, the Erie, the Delaware & Hudson, the Wheeling & Lake Erie, the Missouri Pacific, and probably a few other roads, after his month of vacation on the Pacific coast.

He ridiculed the rumors of any possible control of the St. Louis & San Francisco system, which has been a matter of gossip in financial circles recently.

### FIVE MORE ARE DEAD.

As Result of Explosion of Powder at Windsor, Mo.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 17.—Five additional deaths as the result of the explosion of black powder at Windsor, Mo., yesterday, occurred at hospitals in Sedalia today. This brings the total dead up to twelve.

Among those who died today was conductor A. F. Hensberger, who, according to testimony brought out today, threw the match which caused the explosion.

### FIRE

Covering Sixty Miles of Timber Lands Break Quo Fres.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 17.—Forest fires extending over sixty miles of timber land have broken out again in Houghton and Keweenaw counties. The fires are still five miles from Houghton. The thick pall of smoke hanging over the copper country has made navigation on Portage lake difficult.



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## Any Scalawag Could Start a Bank.

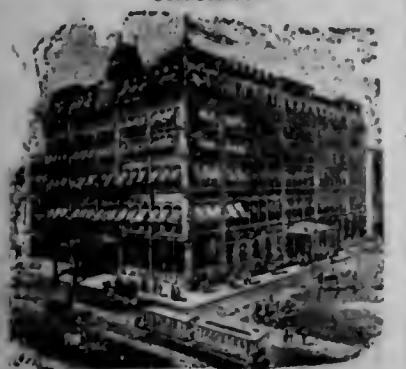
"Under the law any one who can furnish \$25,000 can start a bank, but in practice, as a rule, no one can start a bank who can not also furnish a character which leads the community to trust him and deposit their money with him. If, however, the sound and honest banks of the country guarantee the debts of every bank a well-earned reputation for honesty and business judgment will no longer be necessary as a part of the banker's capital. It will no longer be necessary for the community to consider whether a banker is honest or not. Any scalawag can start a bank and obtain deposits on the credit of all the banks of the country. Any one who wishes to use funds in speculative enterprises can start a bank, invite deposits and thus borrow money on the credit of the entire banking capital of the United States. With such opportunities, who can doubt that the standard of character of the bankers of the country would deteriorate and the use of banking funds for speculative enterprises would increase and that the losses which the honest bankers would be required to make good would increase correspondingly.

"This burden will fall not merely upon the stockholders of the banks, but upon the depositors also. Much banking capital would inevitably be driven out of the business and such as remained would have to make good its losses by reducing the rate of interest to its depositors and increasing the rate of interest upon loans. The profits of the banking business, like those of the merchant, the manufacturer and the farmer, depend upon good management. The attempt to make all the profits of

good management bear all the losses of bad management is a step in the socialistic process which would level all distinctions between thrift, enterprise and sound judgment on the one hand, and recklessness, incapacity and failure on the other.

"Except for campaign purposes there is no occasion for any such scheme. The business men of the country need no guarantee of bank deposits. They know with whom they are dealing when they select a bank for deposits, and their intelligence and knowledge of affairs are amply sufficient for their own protection in making the selection. The wage earners of the country, the multitude of people of small savings, not familiar with business, so far as they live in places where there are savings banks, have practically perfect safety for their deposits, and over eight and a half million of them are enjoying that safety now with a good rate of interest. For them, if they prefer it, and for all who live in places which are not accessible to savings banks, the Republican party proposes that the government shall furnish absolute security through a postal savings bank, so that the wage earner can deposit his savings at the nearest postoffice and have the guarantee of the government that it shall be returned; but that guarantee will be accompanied by the possession and control of the money itself, so that neither the depositor nor the government can lose. This simple equipment to the banking and savings system meets every requirement, and, unlike the Democratic proposal, it has been proved safe and practical by the experience of many countries, and it violates no principle of sound finance or of common sense."

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## CANNON SPEAKS OUT IN KANSAS

Delivered Two Addresses at Independence.

Takes Up Part of First Speech to Show Fallacy of Democratic Policy.

DISCUSSES TARIFF QUESTION

Independence, Kas., Sept. 17.—Speaker Cannon made two speeches here at the opening of the Republican state campaign. At the afternoon meeting Cannon said that two years ago he and Congressman Campbell, of Kansas, had a conference with President Roosevelt and the president insisted that then was no time to bring on a tariff fight in congress; that it should be staved off until conditions were more favorable. He (Cannon) helped to stave it off, and yet he is the only one to get the blame. He continued:

"Foreigners don't pay any of our taxes. They don't help us keep up our schools and public institutions. Then, why should we let them come in and share our profits of trade? I say give the people at home who pay the taxes the inside track on our trade. The Democratic platform wants to tear down the tariff wall, which means that our labor must suffer, as well as our agricultural and industrial industries."

"The Republicans propose to adjust the tariff, cut it down where it is now too high, but in doing so we will fully protect our own labor. We have had a protective tariff ever since the days of Lincoln, except for four years, and you folks know what happened in those four years."

At the night meeting Cannon made a defense of the house rules, declaring that the rules of the present house have been substantially the rules of the house under the control of all parties for more than a generation, including two Democratic congresses. Prior to the fifty-first congress, it lay in the power of the minority to indefinitely obstruct the transaction of business by demanding yeas and nays and then refusing to vote on the call of the roll, thus breaking the quorum.

He made a change that enabled the speaker to count the quorum. This procedure was also adopted by the fifty-second and fifty-third congresses, which were Democratic. He showed that the house is not under the absolute domination of the speaker, as charged by the Democrats, but that the speaker can be removed any time by a majority of the house, and is the only officer of the government who can be so arbitrarily disposed.

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## MRS. ASTOR

STRIKES AT SOCIETY STINKS OF "100."

Says President is Fine Example of Real Manhood for Young Men of America.

New York, Sept. 16.—"I am not vain enough to think New York will not be able to get along very well without me. Many women will rise up to take my place. But I hope my influence will be felt in one thing, and that is in discountenancing the undignified methods employed by certain New York women to attract a following."

"They have given entertainments that belonged under a circus tent rather than in a gentleman's home."

In this cutting manner does Mrs. William Astor, who recently, owing to her great years, abdicated her position as leader of New York society, show her disapproval of the methods of some members of the "smart set" in an interview published in the October Bellator.

Says Women Seek Notoriety. Referring to the women who are constantly forcing themselves into the limelight, Mrs. Astor went on:

"Their sole object is notoriety, a thing that no lady ever seeks, but rather shrinks from. Women of this stamp are few in New York, but alas they are so appallingly active. They have done untold harm to the good name of American society in the minds of foreigners."

"When a distinguished man arrives from the other side, he is seized upon relentlessly, although possibly a stranger to his hostess, and plunged into a mad whirl of extraordinary festivities. He enters upon them with much the same spirit that we would have as spectators of an Indian war dance and thus he forms his opinion of us. I have never entertained a foreigner in my life unless he came to me with a letter of introduction."

"The best women in New York society, those of the greatest influence

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and those who give it its true tone, are almost unknown outside of their own circle. Society newspaper notoriety is interesting to them, as it is to me, as a study, a very amusing one, too, sometimes, as one gets so much information about certain women supposed to belong to us, but whom we never see and do not know even by sight."

Likes Old French Ideal.

After remarking that her ideal of society was the old French salon in the heyday of its prestige, Mrs. Astor said: "The political hostesses have a much better chance of realizing such an ideal today than we women of New York. Over there you find at the big balls and musicales a brilliant array of cabinet ministers, journalists, ambassadors, men and women of the stage, painters and poets and the powers of the money world, such as no leader in New York could bring together or would attempt to bring together."

"I have thought of doing it all my life, but have never seen the possibility of success. In the first place, we have too many politicians in America where in England they have statesmen. Many of our senators and congressmen seem to base their title to public favor upon their wealth, manners and lack of refinement upon the fact that they have discarded socks, or once wore blue jeans."

"If they were all like Mr. Roosevelt, what a difference there would be. Mr. Roosevelt is a true American but he would be at home in the most elegant court in Europe. He is not above paying scrupulous attention to his wardrobe and his manners. Any hostess in New York or Newport would be proud to entertain him, and the men in Washington like him."

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LABEL "IMITATION" WHISKY.

DECISION OF FEDERAL COURT.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 17.—Whisky and other liquors must have age, natural color or be labeled "imitation," so decided Judge Humphrey in the United States District court in the case of Wolfes & company, distillers and rectifiers of Peoria, Ill., who asked a temporary injunction against Thomas Itenack, co-owner of internal revenue, restraining the federal authorities from compelling that there be a distinction shown in labels on whisky as to whether it is pure or "imitation." Under the decision goods must be labeled imitation if they are classed as such.

In the opinion denying the injunction the court upholds regulation of May 5, 1908, under which the order for labels on "imitation" goods is made, and meets one of the objections of the distillers that it has been customary to label all goods as pure with a declaration certifying the commissioner of internal revenue. Up to this point the court says the commissioner "has been tardy in promulgating a regulation which he had legal power to enforce, even before congress gave emphasis to the subject by the enactment of the food and drugs act."

The decision will affect distillers and rectifiers all over the country, and has been eagerly awaited by manufacturers and shippers of liquor.

Bachelor girls are splinters who are not willing to admit it.

## ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSION BULLETIN.

Louisville, Ky. — Kentucky State Fair—Dates of sale September 12th to 18th inclusive, return limit September 24th. Round trip \$6.95.

Memphis, Tenn.—Cheap excursion. Train leaves Paducah Union depot 9:40 a. m., Tuesday, September 22, returning train leaves Memphis 7 p. m., Wednesday, September 25. Round trip \$2.00.

Memphis, Tenn.—Tri-State Fair. Dates of sale September 27th to October 7th inclusive, return limit October 8th. Round trip \$5.25.

Mayfield, Ky. — West Kentucky Fair. Dates of sale September 23rd to 26th inclusive, return limit September 27th. Round trip \$1.00.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent City Office, Paducah, Ky.

R. M. PRATHER, Agent Galen Depot.

## BASEBALL NEWS

The Louisville baseball team will not play the Indians, as Al Wolf could not reach an agreement with the club. The manager of the Colonels wanted a guarantee for any weather, and no other big league teams have come to Paducah without a guarantee, the offer was declined after several letters had been exchanged.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	84	46	.640
Pittsburgh	81	52	.618
Chicago	81	52	.618
Philadelphia	78	59	.569
Cincinnati	64	71	.471
Boston	57	78	.422
Brooklyn	45	87	.341
St. Louis	49	89	.351

Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 0.  
Boston 0, Chicago 5.  
Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 2.  
Philadelphia 0, Pittsburgh 2. Second game.  
New York 6, St. Louis 2.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	57	58	.499
Cleveland	57	60	.482
Chicago	55	61	.475
St. Louis	53	61	.464
Philadelphia	54	59	.485
Boston	45	69	.395
Washington	39	91	.324
New York	44	88	.333

Chicago 1, Cleveland 7.  
St. Louis 1, Detroit 4.

### MINISTER HORSEWHIPPED.

Woman Claims He Referred to Her in Uncomplimentary Terms in Sermon.

Alexandria, La., Sept. 17.—The Rev. H. C. Wooten, a Baptist minister, was publicly horsewhipped on the streets of Pineville, a suburb of Alexandria, by Mrs. Bonita Schwartz, here, a widow, because she alleged the minister referred to her in terms uncomplimentary in a sermon. The minister took the horsewhipping with out resistance. Mrs. Schwartzberg was arrested and fined \$1. Mr. Wooten denied that he referred to the woman. The minister's wife witnessed the horsewhipping.

### NO ACCIDENTS IN NATURE.

Every Calamity, No Matter How Great, Has a Definite Beginning.

There are no accidents in nature. Its avalanche that without a moment's warning rushes headlong down the mountain side is not an accident.

Years previous the atoms have been gathering, and adding their weight to the mass which will one day when the accumulation reaches a certain point.

Nature is laden with an accident. The calamity small as it seems which is the cause of drought and flood, is the result of slowly and long before the calamity.

The germs which thrive on the soil and which are the cause of badness and drought cannot exist, however, in New York's Herpich applied.

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RACES

## MISS BAYNHAM

RESIGNS AS LIBRARIAN OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Resignation Accepted by Trustees With Regret—Miss Bagby Is Assistant.

The resignation of Miss Maine Baynham as librarian at the public library was accepted by the board of trustees yesterday. The board has decided to seek some one to fill the vacancy that has had experience in the management of libraries. Miss Aline Bagby will remain as assistant librarian. The resignation of Miss Baynham will be received with genuine regret by the patrons of the library with whom she was popular and well liked.

## BARN IS BURNED

J. H. DUVALL LOST HIS ENTIRE CROP OF TOBACCO.

Blaze Is Supposed to Have Started From a Coal Left From Piling.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Sept. 17.—J. H. Duvall, who lives six miles from town on the Greenville road, lost his barn and entire crop of tobacco grown this year, by fire. The tobacco was estimated at 12,000 pounds and was an unusually fine and well cured crop. Nothing whatever was saved from the barn and there was no insurance on it.

The curing process was completed and the fire was put out, as it was thought. Mr. Duvall stated that evidently some of the coils were overlooked and that the blaze started from these. The loss to the very heavily upon Mr. Duvall and his many friends sympathize with him.

Convict Leases End in 1909. Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 17.—A new start toward convict legislation was made by the senate passing the bill introduced with the signatures of twenty-seven senators. The bill received only twenty-five votes, and eleven votes were cast against it.

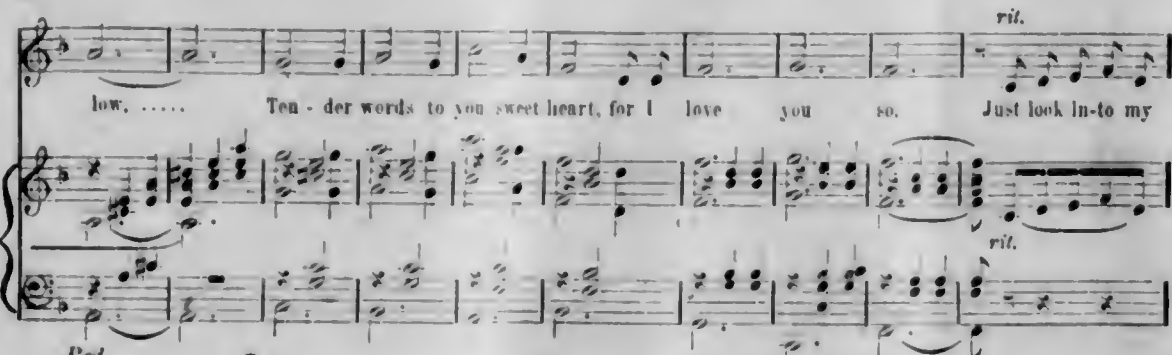
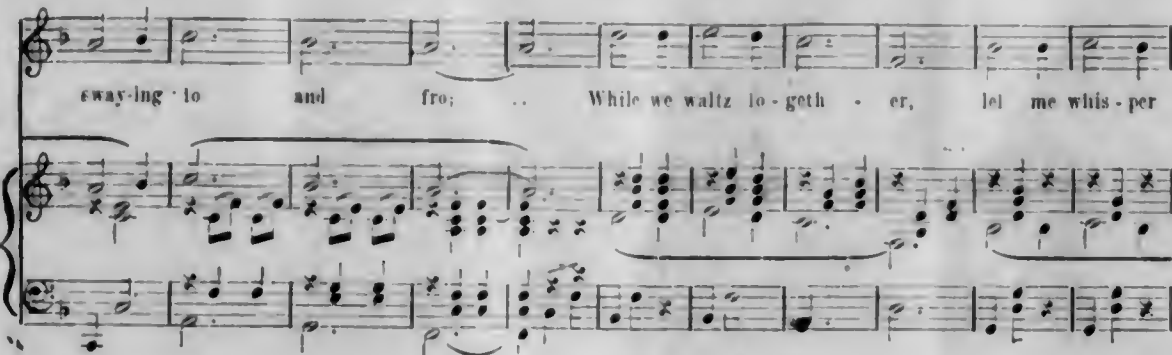
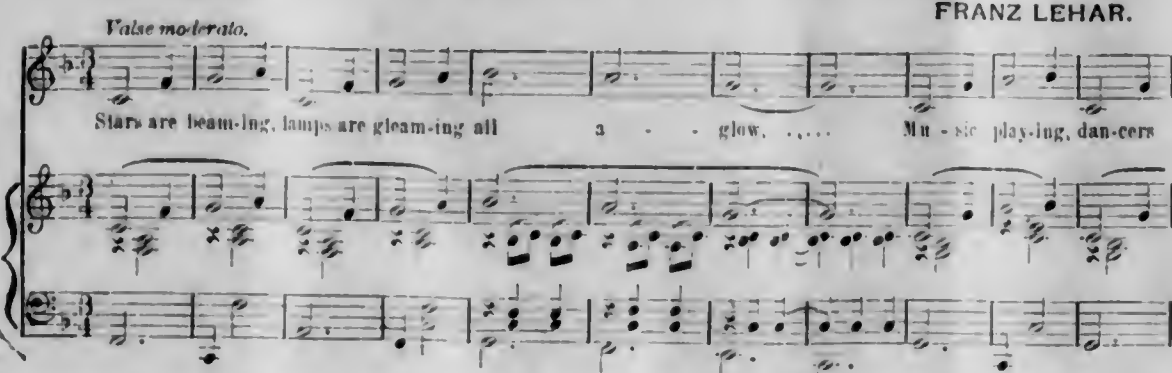
The measure will now go to the house. This bill goes to the prison commission control over both felony and misdemeanor convicts, and provides that leasing to private parties shall end on March 31, 1909.

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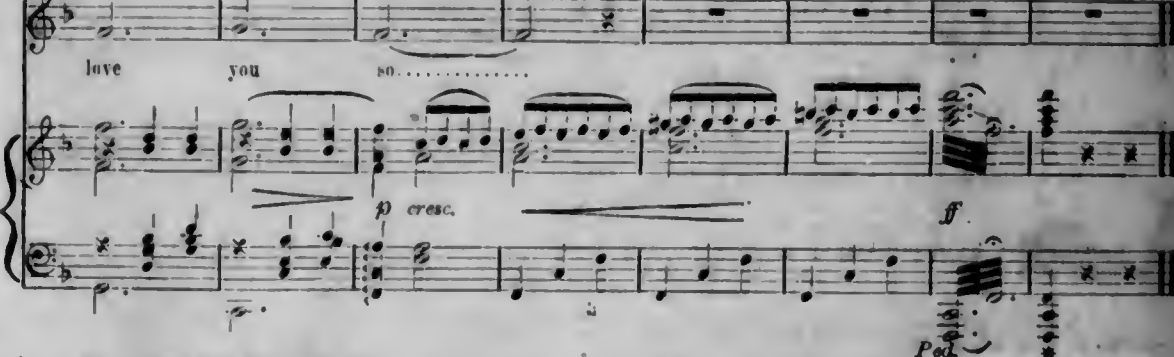
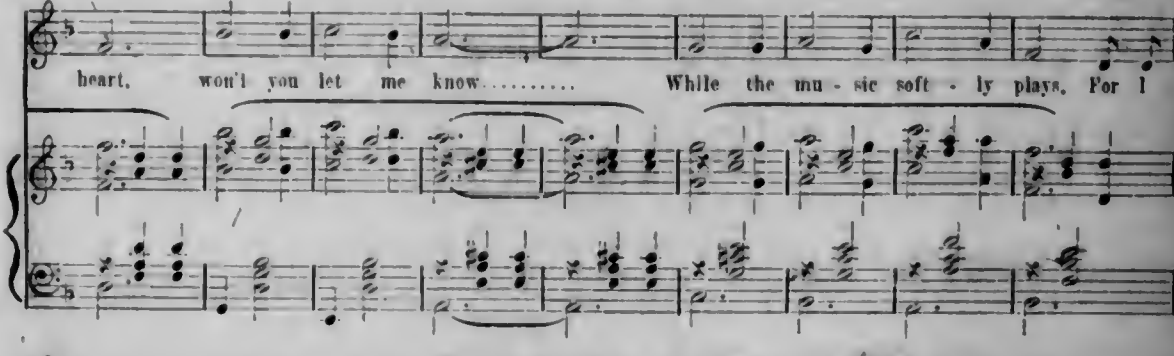
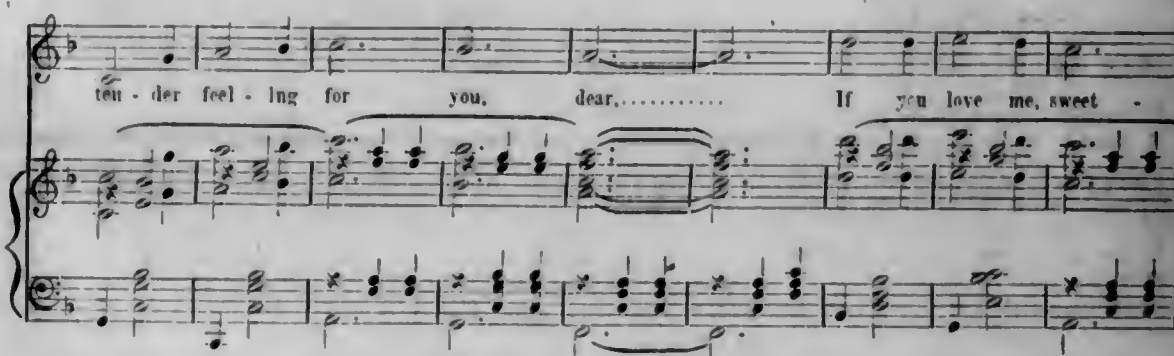
## THE MERRY WIDOW.

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Again this store will be Paducah's headquarters for beautiful millinery during the fall of 1908 with the continued extra special feature of lower prices than any Broadway store can afford to make.

## A FRESH ARRIVAL SILK PETTICOATS.

They are now on sale at \$3.95 to \$5.00.

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By this we mean that they cannot be equaled in Broadway stores for quality, finish and style at our low prices. A great stock of big assortments now here to select from. Don't waste your money in Broadway stores until you have seen our superb offerings.

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Also stylish Coat Suits for junior or small women and Misses at \$10 to \$15.

## BOYS' UNMATCHABLE KNICKERBOCKER TROUSERS.

We say unmatched. Women who have hunted down the town for genuine bargains in boys' knickerbocker trousers have told us so. It has been their experience. It will be your experience. Bring us your school boys' trouser wants and let us save you money.

## NEW AUTUMN SKIRTS.

Our skirts are cut by an artist with a fine eye for the beautiful for right lines. Expensive, yes, in the skill and brains behind them. But we've hammered down the prices. That's why we can sell you new, smart, attractive skirts with swaggar touches so much below Broadway stores. Our present autumn prices are only \$3.85 to \$15, but worth \$5 to \$20.00.

## NEW FALL CLOTHES FOR BOYS.

The best Knickerbocker Suits shown in Paducah at \$3.50 to \$6.00 a suit.

They are the product of experience, of good planning and of good tailoring. They are the best value in boys' clothing to be found in Paducah. Compare these suits with the Knickerbocker suits that you can find in Broadway stores at \$3.50 to \$6.00. Then you will decide to buy here.

## AN EXCEPTIONAL SHOWING OF NEW FALL DRESS GOODS AT REMARKABLY LOW EARLY SEASON PRICES.

They are the fabrics that will be used this fall and winter. All the new shades in plain and fancy weaves. Many of the prices are now lower than it will be possible to make them later in the season. Bring us your dress goods wants and save money. All the wanted weaves are here at 25c to \$1.25 a yard.

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Men's shoes for service or dress at \$1.25 to \$5.00.

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12.....5072	28.....5097
13.....5078	29.....5095
14.....5078	30.....5095
Total.....	132,512
Average for August, 1908.....	5097
Average for August, 1907.....	3885

Increase.....1212  
 Personally appeared before me this Sept. 3, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of August, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.  
 My commission expires January 10, 1912.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

**County Court Clerk.**  
 The Sun is authorized to announce Hiram Smedley a candidate for reelection to the office of Clerk of the McCracken County Court subject to the action of the Democratic party.

**City Jailor.**  
 The Sun is authorized to announce Wade Brown a candidate for reelection to the office of city jailor, subject to the action of the Republican party.

**Daily Thought.**  
 Crosses are the ladders that reach to heaven.—French.

If the tax assessors camp on the trails of William Jennings Bryan and Joe Cannon, they will wish they hadn't talked about each other.

Which party is the friend of labor; the one that espouses a policy that makes high wages possible, or the one that encourages strife between capital and labor?

There is no doubt that night riders would consider a Democratic victory in Kentucky this fall a rebuke to Governor Wilson for sending soldiers into the Black Patch, and an expression of public sympathy with lawlessness.

Isn't it funny that an air ship should be compelled to lie up because of too much wind? Who ever heard of a steamboat being hampered by too much water?

How a little political corruption leavened the whole lump. Behold Tammany entrenched in New York City, and dictating to the state Democratic convention. Compare Roosevelt, Hughes, Root, Cortelyou, Seth Low, Strauss, with the Tammany men.

Mr. Bryan says he is bound by his platform, as much by what it omits as by what it contains. It omits all reference to free silver and government ownership of railroads; yet we are not thereby exempted from judging Bryan by his past utterances.

**IMPROVE THE RIVERS.**  
 No other organization has done more effective work than the Ohio Valley Improvement association toward securing the permanent and consistent and systematic improvement of our water highways, and it was the success and growing influence of this organization that moved Chicago and St. Louis people to begin the agitation of the commercial ship canal through the valley. All the year-round navigation from Pittsburgh to Cairo and from Knoxville on the Tennessee, and Nashville on the Cumberland, to Paducah would do more for this city and the whole valley than anything else we could think of. The present situation of the river trade is significant of the conditions river men have to face. The lower Ohio is full of shoals and the one boat running, the Dick Fowler, can not make more than half her loadings. Such a condition affects the Paducah wholesale trade with south-

ern Illinois and Ballard county points. With the cheap and regular boat service Paducah has something like a monopoly. With the necessity of shipping by train and carting overland, Paducah must compete with other railroad points.

Coal towing boats are tied up, when they might be rushing coal down from Pittsburgh. Cumberland river boats cannot get into the mouth of that stream from the Ohio, and the Tennessee river packets, which find the Tennessee an accommodating stream for the lower reaches, have difficulty in the lower Ohio getting to the Mississippi.

The efforts of the Lee line to give some kind of service between Cincinnati and Memphis whenever the stage permits, indicates that the business is there whenever the packet lines are able to handle it. The Paducah and Evansville trade, which keeps two big packets busy in high water, has dwindled to one light draught boat that threads its way among the shoals and then stopped. Such irregularity, of course, interferes with the packet lines' profits. If the Ohio river had a nine foot stage and the other rivers a good stage, we should see regular lines between Cincinnati and Memphis, St. Louis and Cincinnati, Knoxville and Paducah, Nashville and Paducah, Chattanooga and Paducah, and the ante-bellum days would be recalled.

There is only one way to get these improvements and that is for all to pull together. Time was when river and harbor improvements meant graft and jealousy, and one congressman voted appropriations for another district in return for like support. The Ohio Valley Improvement association has done more to take away this stigma of graft and place river improvements on the systematic basis the engineers demand than any other organization. Jealousy was put aside, and the association voted for beginning the improvements at the lower end of the river and working up, the only sensible plan and the one advocated by all United States engineers.

There is no idle scheme, no dream-land fancy about river improvements.

**TOM LAWSON IN 1912.**  
 "An enthusiastic follower of Mr. Bryan rushed up to the Nebraska in Wheeling, W. Va., threw his arms around him and kissed him," says the Nashville Banner. "Unfortunately the osculatory admirer had been imbibing too freely and he was hustled off to a magistrate and fined \$10. Mr. Bryan was unaware of the arrest of the man who, if he had been sober might have given a less sentimental and more practical support to his favorite candidate by paying \$10 to the campaign fund instead of paying it in a fine."

Money mad! Money mad! It certainly looks like Tom Lawson in 1912.

**MR. CHANLER.**  
 We recall Mr. Chanler, Democratic candidate for governor of New York, as the young man whose face and figure in various poses graced numerous "mats" and cuts that reached our office last winter, accompanied by pleasing references to the young man's fitness for the Democratic presidential nomination. Since then he has been sued by his presidential press agent, who alleges that he was to be paid \$10,000 for doing the advance work for the Chanler boom. Mr. Chanler is a rich young knickerbocker, and will help out materially with the campaign fund.

## TAFT'S CREDENTIALS.

The force of public opinion is beginning to tell in this campaign. There never was a man able to judge the trend of popular sentiment better than Theodore Roosevelt, and after a careful canvass of the situation he gave out his opinion "that Hughes is the logical candidate in New York. The announcement provoked a storm of protest from that kind of politicians, who are used to getting their campaign funds from protected criminals. They declared the boodle vote would defeat Hughes, because of his anti-gambling crusade. Such was their only ground for fighting him, and such may be accepted as the issue so far as New York state is concerned. We may well let New York alone to determine whether her decent people or the gamblers are dominant there.

But the effect on the national election of Hughes' nomination cannot be overestimated. His admirers in the middle west are legion; irrespective of party. It was a question as to whether a majority of the better element preferred Hughes or Taft. If federal influence cut any figure in the Republican campaign before the convention, it was as the determining factor between Taft and Hughes. The fact that Hughes made the opening speech of the campaign in the middle western states, unequivocally endorsing Taft's candidacy, and that he is candidate for governor of New York with the endorsement of the national administration, constitutes the two great moral factors in national politics, and strengthens the Republican hold on the middle west. Hughes' footstool and Roosevelt's backing of the Taft candidacy, coupled with the last words of Grover Cleveland, designating Mr. Taft as the "man of the hour", best equipped for solving our national problems, certainly makes Taft the choice of America's foremost citizens; an ex-president, one just ready to retire, another, a prospective successor and another, a great lawyer, who sacrificed a fortune in fees to devote his talents to his country. Can Mr. Bryan duplicate these recommendations?

## VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 16, 1908.

Editor Sun:—You were quite right yesterday when you said "Don't close the schools." The agitation of this matter does incalculable harm to school children and affects the efficiency of the schools materially. Children are easily frustrated and grow excited over the public discussion of this question. The school teacher is ever on the alert to keep their restless minds from wandering and to hold them steadily to the work in hand. Ways and means are available in an orderly way for continuing school the full term, bonds or no bonds. When expenditures have grown apace until they are greater than the income, a little simple arithmetic properly applied soon corrects the fault. There is not a commercial or banking concern in the city that would hesitate to ask for the immediate resignation of its directors the moment it became apparent that they were not equal to the safe and certain administration of its affairs in the customary way, and replace them with a new board. I assume that my children are representatives of all school children and I am aware that they are unsettled and that any further public discussion of this matter will only serve to disturb them in that serenity of mind that should prevail at the time. A FATHER.

## REELFOOT WILL BE FAVORITE

(Continued from page one.)

Sarah McClure, and passed the grandstand first on the first round. Sarah McClure forged ahead of Gus B. and then broke. Belle T. was let out, and the black horse stepped ahead easily, and had a good lead. Time of heat 2:20 1/2.

The third heat was a warm one. Gus B. was away at the start with Sam Patch going like the wind. He was crowded towards the pole by Lady May Carter, but Lady May Carter and Sam Patch went out of the jam. Sam Patch went under the wire first, while Lady May Carter made her best effort and finished second. The owner of Belle T. asserted that he had been fouled by Sam Patch, but the judge decided that it was an unavoidable jam, complaint was dismissed. Time of heat 2:22 1/2.

In the first heat Sarah McClure had the lead for a good distance, but Belle T. crawled up, and took first place. Lady May Carter had a good position, and might have won, but a break at the critical moment put her out of the running. Belle T. won the heat comparatively easy. Sid Weil was drawn. Time of heat 2:24 1/2.

When the fifth heat was called there were only three entries as Lady May Carter, Gus B. and Sid Weil were worn out and were drawn. On the score Sam Patch took the lead but there were frequent changes. At the last turn Belle T. broke and Sam Patch took a good lead although at three of the horses were running. Sam Patch went under first, and Sarah McClure beat Lady May Carter out for second place. Time of heat 2:28.

## Third Race.

The third race was the five-eighths mile dash with six entries and only McCoy was scratched. The entries were: I Must, ridden by Sandee; Scorpio, ridden by Burris; Wyoning, ridden by Pritchard; Waddle Lee, ridden by Shaaron; H. M. Rebo, ridden by Davis. All of the runners led the rubber for a bunch, but Waddle Lee by long strides took a good lead, and passed the grand stand amid the cheers. On the first turn Waddle Lee repeated the act of Tuesday evening, running wide, and carried Triangulo to the fence. The other horses were ahead, but Waddle Lee and Triangulo soon disappeared in the bunch. First one horse forked ahead, only to be succeeded by another. On the home stretch I Must took the lead and crossed the wire followed by Scorpio, a favorite, and third by Wyoning. Waddle Lee was in fourth place, with Rebo fifth and Triangulo in the last place. The time was 1:03 1/2.

## Fourth Race.

The fourth race was the seven eighths mile dash, and interest in it was intense as shown by the large crowd that looked around the "bookies." The entries were: Tom Chiehl, ridden by Smith; Sir Walter Rollins, ridden by McCarthy; Bal Shad, ridden by Davis, and Louise K. ridden by Hill. Sir Walter Rollins was a popular favorite. From the start the race was between Sir Walter Rollins and Tom Chiehl. Tom Chiehl was running easy, but the jockey on Sir Walter Rollins was using his stick steadily on the first round. Tom Chiehl ran easy, and was in front all the way the half mile. Time of race 1:30.

The officials of yesterday's races were: W. L. Talbot, starting judge and T. O. Glass, of Sharon, Tenn. Dec Alexander and Dr. W. J. Bass judges, and E. D. Fitzgerald, of Cairo; Han Fitzpatrick and Hume Ogilvie, timers.

## The Port of Missing Men.

By Meredith Nicholson.  
 Author of "The House of a Thousand Candles."

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(Continued from last issue.)

## Chapter XXI

THE COMEDY OF A SHEEPFOLD.

OSCAR'S eye, roaming the landscape as he left Shirley Chalmers and started for the hunchback, swept the upland Chalmers acres and rested upon a moving shadow. He drew a deep breath and waited. Several hundred yards away lay the Chalmers sheepfold, with a broad pasture rising beyond. A shadow is not a thing to be ignored by a man trained in the niceties of scouting. Oscar, satisfying himself that substance lay behind the shadow dismounted and tied his horse. Then he bent low over the stone wall and watched.

"It is the big fellow—yes? He is a stealer of sheep, as I might have known."

Znal was only a dim figure against the dark meadow, which he was slowly crossing from the stable farthest from the Chalmers house. He stepped several times as though uncertain of his whereabouts, and then he clambered over a stone wall that formed one side of the sheepfold passed on and straddled on toward the road.

"It is the big fellow—yes?"

"It is mischief that brings him from his hole—yes?" Oscar reflected, glancing up and down the highway. Faintly, very faintly through the night, he heard the orchestra at the hotel playing for the dance. The little soldier, unbuttoned his coat, drew the revolver from his belt and thrust it into his coat pocket. Znal was drawing near, advancing rapidly now that he had gained his bearings. At the wall the car rose suddenly and greeted him in mockingly courteous tones:

"Good evening, my friend; it's a fine evening for a walk."

"Znal drew back and growled.

"Let me pass," he said in his difficult German.

"It is a long wall; there should be no difficulty in passing. This country is much freer than Serbia—yes?" and Oscar's tone was pleasantly conversational.

Znal put his hand on the wall and prepared to vault.

"A moment only, comrade. You seem to be in a hurry; it must be a business that brings you from the mountains—yes?"

"I have no time for you," snarled the Serbian. "Begone!" And he shook himself impatiently and again put his hand on the wall.

"One should not be in too much haste, comrade," and Oscar thrust Znal back with his finger tips.

The man yielded and ran a few steps out of the clump of trees and sought to escape there. It was clear to Oscar that Znal was not anxious to penetrate closer to the Chalmers house, whose garden extended quite near. He met Znal promptly and again thrust him back.

"It is a message—yes?" asked Oscar. "It is my affair," blurted the big fellow. "I mean no harm to you."

"It was you that tried the knife on my body. It is much quieter than shooting. You have the knife—yes?"

The little soldier whipped out his revolver.

"In which pocket is the business card?" A letter undoubtedly. They do not trust swine to carry words. Ah!"

Oscar dropped below the wall as Znal struck at him. When he looked up a moment later the Serbian was running back over the meadow toward the sheepfold. Oscar, angry at the ease with which the Serbian had evaded him, leaped the wall and set off after the big fellow. He was quite sure that the man bore a written message of importance to his employer. He clutched his revolver tight, brought up his elbows for greater ease in running and sped after Znal, now a blur on the startled sheep pasture.

The slope was gradual and a pretty feature of the landscape by day, but it afforded a tortuous path for runners. Znal already realized that he had blundered in not forcing the wall. He was running uphill, with a group of sheds, another wall and a still steeper and rougher field beyond. His back told against him, and behind him he heard the quick thump of Oscar's feet on the turf. The starlight grew dimmer through trails of white send; the surface of the pasture was rougher to the feet than it appeared to the eye. A bound in the Chalmers stable yard bayed suddenly, and the sound echoed from the surrounding houses and drifted off toward the sheepfold. Then a noble music rose from the kennels.

Captain Chalmers, waiting for his sister on the veranda, looked toward the stables, listening.

## THREE CAMPAIGN TRIPS FOR TAFT

First Trip September 23 and Will Take Him to the West.

One in the Eastern States—Plan of Campaign Decided on at Conference.

HIS SECOND IS IN THE SOUTH

Cincinnati, Sept. 17.—Taft will make three campaign tours. His first will begin here September 23 and end October 7 at Galesburg, Ill. This trip will take him through Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado, Kansas and Missouri. He will make one or more set speeches in each of these states, and fill in with numerous short addresses from the rear of his special train.

The second trip, which will be arranged in detail later, will take him into Kentucky and Tennessee and possibly North Carolina.

The last trip will be in the east. New York city will be visited, and speeches will be made in the northern part of the Empire state. Speeches also will be made in Maryland, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio, bringing the candidate back to his native city for the election.

This plan of campaign was decided on at a conference between Judge Taft, Chairman Hitchcock, of the Republican national committee, Senator Dickson, of Montana, director of the western speakers' bureau; Charles Nagel, national committeeman of Missouri and in charge of the Chicago Republican headquarters; Robert A. Hallinger, member from Washington of the advisory committee, and A. I. Vears.

At the conclusion of the conference Taft expressed himself as highly gratified that the details of the first trip had been settled and that the others had been determined upon.

With Taft will be two other speakers of national repute. While it is not determined definitely who these will be, it was stated here that Senator Doolittle, of Iowa, is likely to be one.

After the conference Hitchcock expressed himself generally on the manner of campaign which has been decided upon, making it plain that beginning with the first of October "rocket and red fire" features will be fast and strenuous enough to silence criticism.

In Lincoln, October 1.  
 Lincoln, Sept. 17.—The Republican state central committee received advice indicating that Taft will be in Lincoln October 1 and make an address. It was expected to be at home on that date and an effort will be made to have the two candidates meet at some social function.

Znal approached the sheep sheds rapidly, with a hundred yards to traverse before he should reach the pasture wall. His rage at this being done by a small man for whom he had great contempt did not help his wind or stimulate the flight of his heavy legs and he saw now that he would lose the narrowing margin between himself and his pursuer if he answered to the right to clear the sheds with a vicious tug settled his wool hat more firmly upon his small skull. He went now at a trot, and Oscar was closing upon him rapidly; then, quite near the sheds, Znal wheeled about and charged his pursuer headlong. At the moment he turned Oscar's revolver hit keenly into the night. Captain Chalmers, looking toward the slope, saw the flash before the bounds at the stables answered the report.

At the shot Znal cried aloud in his curiously small voice and clapped his hands to his head.

"Stop! I want the letter!" shouted Oscar in German. The man turned slowly, as though dazed, and with a hand still clutching his head, half stumbled and half ran toward the sheds, with his coat at his heels.

Chalmers called to the negro stableman to quiet the dogs, switched a lantern and ran a way through the pergola to the end of the garden and thence into the pasture beyond.

Meanwhile Oscar, thinking Znal badly hurt, did not fire again, but flung himself upon the fellow's broad shoulders, and down they crashed against the door of the nearest pen. Znal swayed and shook himself free, while he fiercely cursed his foe. Znal's hands slipped on the fellow's hot blood that ran from a long crease in the side of his head.

(To be continued in next issue.)

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**SALOONKEEPER FARMED.** The charge of selling liquor on Saturdays. He was sentenced to six months in the cage and sixty days in the other and then was assessed in bond. Pyman has served part of his time. Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—Gov. Ho is a hopeless paralytic, unable to perform his duties. Several physicians and nurses, a Nashville saloon keeper, currently in prison, signed the petition in January and May, 1907, on petition for election.

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## THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 440 1/2 Broadway, Phone 196.  
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—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.  
—Numbering machines, dates, rubber type, brass and aluminum checks, seals. Rubber stamps made to order. Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 353.  
—Lovers of music should try the waltz song from The Merry Widow entitled "For I Love You So" published on page three. It is a piece of copyright music by Franz Lehár.  
—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Covington, 717 Jefferson street.  
**RESIGNATION OF MINISTER**  
**KOREA BIG SURPRISE.**  
Washington, Sept. 17.—The report of the resignation of Minister Corson of Nicaragua, was a surprise to the state department officials. On leaving for Nicaragua he informed Acting Secretary of State Acheson that he was returning to his country on a leave of absence and expected to be in Washington about the first of December.

**Whipping Made Man of Cooking.**  
New York, Sept. 17.—Dr. George W. Clark, who was the oldest living graduate of Union college and as a young school teacher "whipped" Romeo Cookling, is dead at his home in this city, aged 92 years. Dr. Clark, in telling the incident, said: "After prompt discipline Cookling became one of the best students, as he was ever after one of my warmest friends. He always said the sound thrashing I gave him made him a United States senator."

**Lived to Be Over 100.**  
Trenton, Tenn., Sept. 17.—(Old Aunt Siddy Clay, a negro woman, is dead in this city. Aunt Siddy was believed to be the oldest woman in this county, as she is said to have been 102 years of age. She was the mother of Uncle Clem Clay, a well-known old negro of this place.

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## NEWS OF COURTS

**In Police Court.**  
The docket in police court this morning was: Drunk—John Humphrey and W. McCullen, \$1 and costs each; Breach of peace—George Leonard, continued until September 18; "Black Shine" and Frank Minor, colored, continued until September 18; Dick and Lillie Scott, colored, dismissed; Using insulting language—Will Horton, colored, continued until September 18; Breach of ordinance—Louis Caporal, dismissed; Moses Kahn, continued until September 18; O. Wilson and — Gordon, continued until September 18; Petit larceny—Octavia Bryant, colored, continued until tomorrow.

**In Circuit Court.**  
Friday is the last day in which civil suits may be filed to get on the appearance docket at the term which meets the fourth Monday in September and the circuit clerk will have a rush of business in this line during the next few days.  
Suit to settle the estate of Jeremiah Callaghan was filed by J. M. McFarland and Baxby & Martin against John McCallaghan, administrator of the estate. A lot at Ninth and Trimble streets will be sold to satisfy the debt of the decedent.  
J. R. Chandler filed suit against W. H. Chandler to recover \$114.51, claimed to have been paid out as security for the defendant.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Ernest Averitt and Beniah Ham.

## RIVER NEWS

**River Stages.**

Place	Stage	Time	Direction
Pittsburg	5.5	0.1	fall
Chenault	1.3	0.3	fall
Louisville	3.3	0.9	st'd
Evansville	3.1	0.5	fall
Mt. Vernon	2.7	0.1	rise
Mt. Carmel	1.2	0.1	fall
Nashville	7.7	0.2	fall
Chattanooga	2.0	0.3	fall
Florence	1.0	0.0	st'd
Johnsonville	3.2	0.6	fall
Calico	8.8	0.2	fall
St. Louis	5.7	0.2	fall
Paducah	3.5	0.1	fall

Capt. Royce Berryman has returned from the Mississippi river, where he was posting up on low water plugging.

**Electrifying Central's Terminals.**  
Chicago, Sept. 17.—J. T. Harahan, President of the Illinois Central railway, announced today at a meeting of the board of directors of the road, held today at New York, authority was granted for a full investigation of the question of electrifying the Illinois Central terminals at Chicago.

**Utah Republicans Nominate Ticket.**  
Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 17.—The Republican state convention nominated a complete state ticket, including congressmen and three presidential electors, and adopted a platform which warmly indorses the administration of President Roosevelt and the nominees of the national convention. William E. Spy, of Salt Lake, heads the ticket for governor. Sharp criticism is made in the platform of the anti-Mormon political organization, which has been prominent for several years, particularly in Salt Lake.

**KING EDWARD CHEMIST.**  
Constantinople, Sept. 17.—A telegram sent by King Edward to the sultan of Turkey on the anniversary of the latter's accession to the throne was made public today and produced a decided sensation on account of the friendliness of its tone. The message evidently was intended to offset the advances made to the sultan by Emperor William. After the formal congratulations, King Edward said: "There is every reason to hope that under the enlightened direction of so eminent a Grand Vizier your majesty's empire will have a peaceful and prosperous future and that the veneration of posterity will be secured for your majesty."

A man has about as much use for his poor relatives as his rich ones have for him.

## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

**Return From Long Trip.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Herring arrived in Paducah today after a four years' trip around the world and are the guests of Mr. Herring's mother, 532 South Third street. Mr. Herring is traveling auditor for the Standard Oil company and left the states three years ago last December. Their many friends are welcoming them back.

**For Visitors.**  
Miss Phillips Hughes, 613 Broadway, will entertain this evening at her home at cards in honor of Miss Hoberg, died, of Fort Smith, Ark., eldest of Miss Lillian Gregory, and Miss Aline King, of Clarkdale, Miss.

**Former Paducah Girl Will Make Her Bow.**  
Miss Susanne Burnett is mentioned in the papers of Louisville among the debutantes, who will make their bow to society this winter. Miss Burnett is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burnett, formerly of Paducah, and she is a bright and charming girl. Miss Burnett recently returned from Europe, where she completed her education. She has many friends in her former home.

**Trip to Cairo.**  
The Sans Souci club was entertained today with a round trip to Cairo on the steamer Dick Fowler by Miss Marjorie Cunningham. The party left this morning at 8 o'clock and will return early tonight. In the party that left were: Misses Lulu Root, Mary Scott, Margaret Parks, Clara Parks, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Tenel, Anna Boswell, Clara Thompson, Hobble Loving, Alice Cabell, Ellis Gray, of Marion, Ky.; Mrs. John Scott, Mrs. William Gilbert, Mrs. Allen Ashcraft and Mrs. Hughes McKnight.

**Menu for Friday.**  
Trimble Street M. E. Church menu: Vegetable Soup, Country Ham, Fried Chicken, Battered Potatoes, Corn Pudding, Peas, Cream Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes, Potato Salad, Cold Shaw, Wheat Bread Hot Biscuits, Apple Pie, Chess Pie, Spice Pie, Cakes, Tea Milk.  
Dinner 35 cents. Cakes, pies, and doughnuts for sale during the day.

Mr. James Sherrill, of Mayfield, is in the city.

W. B. Kennedy, the tobacco broker, went to Murray this morning to attend association sales.

F. W. Katterjohn went to the stone quarries at Gravel Switch this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Utterback and Mrs. W. P. Bay, of Murray, are visiting the family of Perry McLean.

Dr. Victor Voris has returned from a week's visit to Dawson Springs. Mrs. Voris and Miss Eunice Voris will remain for a few days longer.

Mr. V. G. Gentry returned last night from Providence, where he has been on business.

Miss Minnie Hall, of Lexington, Tenn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, 408 South Sixth street.

Miss Cora Richardson is ill at her home on South Third street.

Mrs. M. W. Yonka and Mrs. B. T. Burnett, of Paris, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Owens, of Trimble street.

Miss Julia Lee, stenographer, in Attorney J. R. Brown's office, has returned from a visit to Smithland.

Montana Overstreet arrived home last night from Louisville, where he has been employed for some time as

operator for the Pennsylvania road. Mr. Overstreet will spend the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Overstreet, of Jackson street.

Mrs. T. G. Burton, of Chicago, arrived Wednesday to visit Mrs. Wilmoth Rook, of Fifth and Clark streets. Mrs. Burton was accompanied by Miss Willie Rook, who has been in Chicago for a month visiting her mother. Mrs. Burton formerly lived in Paducah.

Judge E. Barry, of the Benton Tribune, accompanied by his wife, passed through the city last night for Louisville to attend a meeting of the State Press association executive committee, of which he is a member.

Guy Dunning, of Wallonia, has been in the city. He was en route to Paducah and other points in western Kentucky. Mr. Dunning is the official inspector of the Dark Tobacco association, and has made a splendid inspector. His many friends say he will be re-elected at the next election of the tobacco association officials—Princeton leader.

Mr. Jake Friedman, formerly of Paducah but now living in Evansville, will return to his home today after a visit to friends in the city.

Miss Marjanna Young left Wednesday for Blackstone, Va., to enter the Blackstone Female college, where Miss Young will attend school this year.

Mrs. Josephine Ezell, of Paducah, is the guest of Dr. Richmond's family and her many friends are glad to have her in Clinton again.—Clinton Gazette.

Mr. George Wallace, Jr., will leave Monday for the Episcopal high school at Alexandria, Va., where he will enter for a preparatory course for college.

Mrs. Anna Herryman, of Clarksville, Tenn., arrived Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Fowler, 619 Kentucky avenue. Mrs. Herryman is a social favorite in Paducah and her visits are always welcomed by her friends.

Miss Vela Houdurant will leave for Columbia, Mo., in a few days, where she will resume her studies at Columbia college. This is her last year, as she will be graduated in the music and literature courses in June.—Cairo Bulletin.

Mr. W. V. Eaton leaves for Louisville today on business.

Mr. John Counts has returned from a visit to Mayfield.

Mr. George Landrum, of Smithland, was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. Ben Houston, of Gilbertsville, was in Paducah Wednesday.

Col. Edward Gurke, of Cairo, Ill., is in Paducah attending the races.

Mr. Edward Papst Fitzgerald, of Cairo, is in Paducah spending the week at the races.

Mr. Clip Baker, of Mayfield, has been called to the city by the serious illness of his brother, Mr. Oscar Baker.

Miss Anna O'Connell, of Chicago, will arrive tonight to visit Mrs. Selma Hammesfahr, of 233 South Sixth street.

Mr. A. Downes, postmaster at Murray, was in Paducah yesterday on his way home from Louisville, where he has been on official business.

Miss Florence Loeb will leave September 26 for Bryn Mawr college, Pa., where she will attend college the coming year as a freshman.

**IRISH REPRESENTATIVES**  
**REACH NEW YORK CITY.**

New York, Sept. 17.—John E. Redmond, the Irish leader in this house of commons; John E. Devlin, M. P., and John Fitzgibbon, who come to this country to attend the biennial convention of the United Irish League at Boston, were given a warm reception on their arrival here today. When the steamer Oceanic reached her dock more than 100 members of the United Irish League of New York were in waiting. The party was escorted to the Hoffman house where a formal reception was tendered Mr. Redmond by the league. In Saturday Mr. Redmond will leave for Boston to attend the convention.

**Election of Great Chiefs by Red Men.**  
Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 17.—The election of great chiefs and the transaction of a large amount of routine business occupied the attention of the delegates to the general council of the Improved Order of Red Men of the United States. Among the resolutions was one proposing that the next meeting of the great council be at Pittsburg, O. It was referred to the committee on finance. It is understood that Cleveland, Cincinnati and Indianapolis are also being considered. Officers were elected as follows: Great Inchohouse, Joseph Fairair, of Philadelphia; great senior sagamore, George H. Griggs, of Houston, Tex.; great junior sagamore, Earl Foster, of Bridgeport; great prophet, W. A. S. Hild, of Topeka, Kas.; great chief of records, Wilton Brooks, of Chicago; great keeper of vanguard, William Provin, Westfield, Mass.

**Want Gun to Break Misdip.**  
Washington, Sept. 17.—As a result of the successful trial of the Wright aeroplane during the past two weeks by Orville Wright at Fort Myer, a joint commission, composed of officers of the ordnance department, the signal corps and the artillery corps of the army, may within a few months undertake experiments to determine the possibility of damaging an airplane in flight. The German government has conducted experiments along this line and European army officers claim that an aerial warship is immune from artillery fire at a height of 5,000 feet. The German government is developing a special mortar for firing at balloons and airplanes as field guns can not be adjusted to very great angles.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

New Richmond—A. Downes, Murray; T. W. Wentzell, Metropolis; O. Kuebler, Golconda; Charles Pillers, St. Louis; J. J. Wilson, Middletown; Julian Ford, Mayfield; Rue Powell, Bandana; Charles Bradley, Burlington; W. G. Dyeus, Benton.

St. Nicholas—J. J. Wilson, Middletown, O.; W. W. Gorkins, Harrisburg; John Hayden, Cairo; C. C. Mayhew, Huntington, Ind.; W. E. Ellis, Benton; Marnett Hall and wife, Louisville; W. W. Burrows, Cleveland; R. E. Hoffles, St. Louis; Bee Vickers, I. N. Vickers, Bayou; C. H. Skaggs, Murray.

Palmer—T. W. Howlett, Philadelphia; A. C. Lange, Mytheville, Ark.; G. P. Eichberger, Cairo; W. F. Purdy Jr., Bandana; W. A. Hall, Wickliffe; Ed Dunn, Wickliffe; E. C. Wilson, Heleann, Ark.

Belvedere—J. O. Bell, Cobb; W. T. Jenkins, Chicago; J. A. Anderson, St. Louis; C. M. Nelson, Dresden, Tenn.; W. C. Wardfield, Memphis; S. P. John, Guthrie; E. P. Fitzgerald, Cairo.

## FATHER ALARMED BY LETTER.

**Does Not Know How to Take Suggestions for a Novel.**

A gentleman recently opened a letter addressed to his son, containing suggestions from a friend to the father for a novel, which he (the son) was privately writing. The father was exceedingly surprised and frightened upon reading the following dreadful words: "Dear Bob,—You really must show more caution in constructing your plots, or the governor will be sure to discover the dead body of Geraldine in the cellar, and then your secret will be out. You consult me about the strychnine. I certainly think you are giving it to him in rather large doses. Let Emily put her mother in a madhouse. It will answer your purpose well to have the old girl out of the way. I think your forgery is far too small a sum. Make it \$3,000. Leave the rest of your particularly nice family circle to me. I will flush them off; and send you back the fatal dagger" afterward by book post.—Yours, Jack."

**As to Incurables.**

New York, Sept. 17.—"When a child is incurable don't send him to the disciplinary schools off hand. Have his throat examined by a health department physician. You will find that in many instances this incurability and truancy can be traced to adenoid growths in the throat." That is what Superintendent of Schools Dr. W. H. Maxwell told a hundred principals who went to the Dewitt Clinton High school for a heart to heart talk about intimate school matters.

Dr. Maxwell continued: "No pupil should be sent to the school for discipline until he has been tried out in two schools and then I want such a one examined by health department physicians before he is sent."

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### WOMAN'S FRIENDSHIPS.

Loss of Acquaintance, But Few Friends—Can't Smoke, One Cause Given.

Friendship is practically dead among society women. Of course, there are many individual instances of true and lasting attachment to be found among women of today, but the general rule is to have an endless succession of acquaintances with scarcely any of whom has one more than a casual intimacy. The same forces are at work among society women, but cannot do so much damage owing to the freer condition of man's lives and also owing to that great promoter of friendship, tobacco. If women would go to each other's homes "for a smoke," and sit in blessed silence watching the blue rings dissolve, their friendships would be deeper and longer; for where two people are suited to be comrades silence is not only a blessing, but a form of expression. Whereas women, if they meet together at all, must talk; there is nothing else to do, and the casual cigarette of the modern hostess and guest cannot take the place of the comfortable pipe or the serious cigar.—London Black and White.

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## YEARN FOR HUGS AND KISSES AT 88

Aged Millionaire Who Won and Jilted Girl.

Miss Licklider Batted at "Soul Mate" Wedding—Sues for \$50,000.

IS A THROB IN EVERY LINE

New York, Sept. 16.—Eighty-eight winters have not blunted the effervescent bubbles of romance and courtship from the remarkable frame of John Washington Free, a millionaire malt machine inventor. A pleasant-faced, bluish-tinted girl of twenty-five summers, Nellie B. Licklider, listened to the honeyed words of the aged swain, left her old home near Kansas City and stately enough really learned to love a man who has bridged the lifetime of two men. But she awakened abruptly when he sought to wed her in typical soul-mate style through a spiritualistic medium, and with her realization she seeks \$50,000 damages for a broken heart.

Incidentally she will show the court 240 love letters, full of promises, oaths of loyalty and pictures of bliss on California ranches and in southern summer homes. Until the suit was filed Free lived at the Licklider House. He is now at the Licklider House. He is now at the Licklider House. He is now at the Licklider House.

A Throb in Every Line.

The letters cover a period of two years. They are a curiously interesting mass of documents, a throb in almost every line—all in the polished handwriting of the aged wooer, and indicating, she maintains in her suit for breach of promise, that the "gay old fellow," as she fondly hailed him, easily spanned the sixty-three years' discrepancy in their ages with sentiments and declarations, after with youth's love and devotion. Miss Licklider balked at a proposed spiritualistic wedding proposed by Free, and was jilted.

Some of the letters follow:  
Glimpse Home, June 16. Good Little Nellie. Every hour I think of you. Surely, as the big hall clock sounds the hour I grow weary and sad because you are not here. I wish there were no clocks. Then I would not be reminded of my age. But, my little girl, I'm not old, am I? My father lived to be 102 years old. As long as man loves he won't die. I can never die, when I have you. I'll live longer than you, Nellie, and am not worrying about my happiness. Kisses and hugs and wishes for good luck for me and you. JOHN W. FREE.

No One to Hug and Kiss Home.  
June 26, 1907.—Nellie, My Dear: Outside the rain is denoting the streets. Everywhere it is dark and gloomy. The beautiful month of roses closes with a shroud over its hopes of a cheerful summer. What can I do on such a day? The gloomy exterior brings back your hazel eyes and slender frame. I love so well, how foreboding than ever. I must tell you how I would love to sit down and have a good chat. Oh, how well I know a few hugs would not hurt us, and Nellie, you know a few of those kisses from your cherry lips would bring back the magnetism I need so much. JOHN W. FREE.

July 16, 1907.—My Own Nellie B.: California flowers bloom forever, so I cherish my love for you. If only I had my sales completed and my invention, which Uncle Sam needs so much, in the hands of more active men. My brain conspires it and wrought it. Now I want some to use it. Life is unreal. Father Time has dealt lightly with me, but fortune has laid an iron fist on my nose. You are wealthy today and poor tomorrow. Would that I could close the book of business life and race away to California's orchards of ever-fresh roses with you. JOHN W. FREE.

November 18, 1907.—Good Nellie: She is gone. Thanks to everybody for I'm glad. She came to buy stock in my invention. She is old, very old, and disagreeable. Isn't it awful to be old. You are away from me—way out in Missouri—and I have no one to hug me and kiss me. It might not have tired me if I could have squeezed her a bit. When we went out for lunch she would say: "Don't walk so fast—I'm sort of old." Think of that. Remember how fast we walk, don't we? Life is nothing without the greatest thing in life—mutual love. Real love makes you happy and every one else glad. I'm thinking of you every now and then's remains. JOHN W. FREE.

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Knicker—"I have joined a marching club."  
Mrs. Knicker—"Well, suppose you march the baby for Taft!"—New York Sun.

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## SIGNAL CORPS WEAK

NEEDS STRENGTHENING ON LINES OF OTHER NATIONS.

Successful Aerial Tests Being Cause For Action—Bill Now Before Congress.

Washington, Sept. 16.—With the utility of aerial navigation as an adjunct to the army in time of war practically demonstrated by the phenomenal flights made at Fort Myer, with the activity displayed by foreign governments in sending aerial navies and with the advantage of maintaining the various units of an army in time of war strikingly demonstrated in recent international conflicts, military authorities are making the necessity for increasing the strength of the signal corps of the army. Indeed, there is now awaiting the action of the military committee of the senate, a bill providing for doubling the strength of the signal corps.

The signal corps is now a staff corps, and has a quota of about 1,200 officers and men. The bill, awaiting the action of congress, provides for a full peace strength of 2,500 officers and men, and if passed, would put the signal corps in the line of a staff corps.

The signal corps has a large number of officers detailed from the infantry, cavalry and artillery, and a short period of time and others who are only attached to the signal corps in the service, the officers and men of the signal corps require special training.

In the Russo-Japanese war, the value of maintaining constant means of communication between the various units of an army during active field operations was fully illustrated. Military experts the world over claim that the Japanese won because of their efficient "team work."

Gen. James Allen, the chief signal officer, has endeavored to keep pace with European countries in the application of the aeronautics to army work. As the annual appropriation for equipment for the signal corps is only \$250,000, it was found necessary to apply to the board of ordnance and equipment for funds to purchase aerial craft with which the aeronautical division of the corps might make a beginning in the new

science which seems destined to play a most important part in future conflicts.

The board of signal corps officers conducting the Fort Myer test has never had its full membership present at those tests because of the necessity for sending one or more members elsewhere. Lieut. Richard H. Greedy was loaned to the signal corps to aid in conducting the signal corps to aid in conducting the aeronautical tests, and the entire strength of the aeronautical division of the corps is about three officers and twelve men, as compared with three corps of the same rank in the British army, and nearly a thousand in the German army.

The construction of the Washington-Alaska military cable, its maintenance, the operation of the Philippine cable in Alaska, Cuba, the Philippines and the United States has required the services of a large percentage of the forces of the signal corps.

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### THEATRE DEATH AS JOKE.

Fair Circus Performer to Be Seen in Greatest Thriller on Record.

Miss Ida Marie Roche, the young French woman who last winter created a sensation in Europe by the spirit of daring and superhuman nerve she displayed in a new and dangerous automobile stunt, is soon to be seen in Paducah, she having been engaged to exhibit this new circus "trick" with Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Show, which opens here Wednesday, September 18. No act of any man or woman has ever created the excitement that the French girl creates with her automobile accomplishing two complete stunts in mid-air.

The heavy machine is plunged into space by a lightning-like dash down a steep steel track from the dome of the tent. The abrupt ending of the machine in a sharp curve sends the car back above the heads of the audience. Twice it is repeated, the heavy engine driver firmly holding the wheel. Then with a crash it lands upside of a spring platform.

On Tuesday a branch ticket office will be located in Gilbert's drug store, where reserved seats and admissions can be bought at the regular prices. At 10 o'clock in the forenoon the parade will pass through the principal streets.

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### PRESIDENT WANTS TO FLY: WRIGHT FEARS ACCIDENT.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—A new sensation in the government was in the air today when President Roosevelt has announced his intention of going up with the navigator, as was predicted in Mr. McIntosh's cartoon last Sunday. While no one would acknowledge word had been received from the president, Mr. Wright talked freely of the possibility.

"I have heard the report that President Roosevelt wants to ascend with me," he acknowledged today. "I am sorry. I don't believe the president should take such chances. Of course flying in the air is as safe as riding in a street car, but there are accidents that might happen. Aside from my relatives such an accident to me would mean nothing, but the nation would be the sufferer if the president was injured or killed."

The president will return to Washington next week. It is said it will be reasonably certain he will leave upon accompanying the navigator in one of his flights.

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## ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

To Property Owners of Realty and Personalty for Assessment for 1909 as of September 15, 1908.

Per Charter Second Class Cities, Page 82, Section 3179. City of Paducah, Kentucky.

That all persons owning or having in their possession or under their control as agent, guardian, committee, executor, administrator, curator, trustee, receiver, commissioner or otherwise, tangible or intangible personal property on the fifteenth day of September following, are required, on or before the first day of October, to give him a true and complete list of the same, with true cash value thereof, as of the fifteenth day of September, under oath, upon forms to be furnished on application by said assessor at his office, and that all merchants in the city, doing business for themselves or others, shall in like manner, in addition thereto, state the highest amount in value of all goods, wares, merchandise, owned or kept on hand for sale by said merchants during the three months next preceding such fifteenth day of September. The assessor and his deputies shall be authorized to administer oaths and affirmations, and may examine on oath any person touching his personal property, and the value thereof, and may examine merchants on oath as to the statements they are required to make. The assessor shall keep his office open, and be himself or have a deputy in attendance during the hours from eight a. m. to six p. m., or such other additional hours as may be ordered by him, from the fifteenth day of September to and including the first day of October, excepting Sundays and legal holidays. The assessor shall constantly keep on hand, and furnish to persons lawfully requiring the same, all necessary blanks and forms for the lists and statements required by this act. Nothing herein shall, however, prevent the assessor from assessing from the best information he can gather, and where an assessment has been made against a person who has had actual notice to appear and list his property or make statements thereof and fails to do so, the same shall not be decreased, but may be increased by board of equalization. If any person refuse to attend when summoned, or to be sworn to answer, or to answer any question propounded to him by the assessor or his deputy, the assessor or deputy may, in writing, under oath, state the question, the refusal to answer it, and ask the police judge to issue a warrant against such person; and if the question appear to be a proper one, the said judge shall issue a warrant, and the said person shall, on conviction of having refused to answer the question, it being found by the court to be a proper one, be fined ten dollars, and there compelled by process of contempt to answer the question, and such proper questions as the assessor may propound to him. The assessor shall assess personal property in a separate book, in which he shall separate tangible from intangible property. The word person as used herein shall mean natural and artificial persons, and the duties enjoined on them shall in the case of artificial persons, be performed by the chief officer or agent in the city at the time. Whenever the assessor shall ascertain that there has in any former year or years, been any property unit ed which should have been taxed, he shall assess the same against the person who should have been assessed with it, if living, if not, against his representatives. (See sec. 2984a, which provides for assessment of franchise.)

All persons owning property of any kind, real or personal, in the City of Paducah, are required to come to the Assessor's office at the City Hall and sign their property lists for assessments, which are now ready for 1909.

Approved:

JAS. P. SMITH, Mayor,

J. W. ORR, City Assessor.

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## RECOUNT ASKED BY CANDIDATES

### Both Warner and Bradley Claim Nomination.

Bradley Makes No Specific Allegations in His Petition, Warner Does.

### SOME BALLOTS THROWN OUT.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 17.—When the state canvassing board met this afternoon to canvass the vote of the recent primary for the nomination of candidates for governor and lieutenant governor, Dr. J. H. Bradley, who was unsuccessful in his campaign against Governor Warner for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, filed a petition asking a recount in specified precincts in Sanilac, Huron, Lapeer, Alger, Menominee and Marquette counties.

In all of these the governor received a heavy majority of the votes cast. No specific allegations are made in Bradley's petition.

Later Warner requested a recount of the votes in the cities of Saginaw, Muskegon, Kalamazoo, Sturgis, Jackson (wards 1 and 2), Grand Rapids, and townships of Pinconning, Bay County; Milwaukee, Saginaw County; Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo County; Leelanau, Ingham County. The governor's petition alleges that in some instances the votes cast for Warner were counted for Horatio S. Earle, who was the third candidate in the field for the Republican nomination; that ballots were wrongfully thrown out as nullified, and that both Bradley and Earle were credited in the returns with more votes than they received. Warner claims his plurality is 1,662.

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## LESTER MURPHEY

### BREAKS INTO MAYFIELD STORE SUNDAY NIGHT.

Tried and Sent to Asylum—Has Always Borne a Good Reputation.

Sunday night just after 12 o'clock some one was discovered upstairs in W. B. Norman's clothing store, says the Messenger.

The police were notified and they notified Mr. Norman, who came to the store for the purpose of ascertaining who was there and what was the matter. Mr. Norman secured a lantern and entered the front door, while the rear end of the house was guarded by Policeman Alf Brown.

Upon entering the store Mr. Norman heard some one upstairs run toward the front end of the house and jump out of the window onto the roof of the front awning or shed. Mr. Norman went out into the street and saw a man who seemed to be trying to get away. He ordered him to come down and at the same time fired a shot from his pistol in the air.

He shot again at the person with the intent of hitting him. By this time Policeman Alf Brown had run around to the front, when he also ordered the man to come down. He then climbed down and fell into the hands of Mr. Norman and the police. At this juncture Mr. Norman raised the hat of the man and found him to be Lester Murphey, a well known young man of the city. He was taken to the police headquarters, when his family was notified of what had taken place.

His father went on his bond and he was taken home, where he remained until Wednesday morning, when he was tried for insanity before County Judge Ed Crossland.

Quite a number of witnesses were examined, who had known the young man from his birth, and several doctors were also examined who had previously examined the young man—all of whom testified that it was their opinion that he is of unsound mind, and was not at all at himself when he entered Mr. Norman's store.

Lester Murphey is a graduate of West Kentucky college and has always borne a good character as a young man in the country. He was sober, honest, moral and studious. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Murphey, his father being a candidate for county judge. He is 21 years old and has between \$300 and \$400 worth of property and has always been good for his debts, and could get credit at any of the stores he might ask.

He will be escorted to the asylum at Hopkinsville by Sam Norman, who has known him from his birth.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors. In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of Thomas C. Leech, bankrupt.

To the creditors of Thomas C. Leech, of Paducah, in the county of McCracken and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1931, the said Thomas C. Leech was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1931, at 5 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.

EMMET W. BAGBY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Paducah, Ky., Sept. 17, 1931.

### WIFE DIES; MAN A SUICIDE.

Strange Tragedy in Williamson County, Tenn.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—News has reached Nashville of a double tragedy in Williamson county, in which Mrs. Jack Buttrey was so badly frightened by the accidental discharge of her husband's gun that she died in an hour, and of Mr. Buttrey's suicide because of grief over the death of his wife twenty-four hours later.

Buttrey heard a disturbance in his poultry house before day, Saturday morning, and went to investigate. Finding nothing, he returned to his bedroom, where his wife was, when the gun was discharged, tearing a hole through the ceiling and the wall, her boarding. Mrs. Buttrey was in a delicate condition at the time, hence the result. The couple leave a daughter, 2 1/2 years old.

An Indian stream, the River Kistnah, 600 feet wide, has the longest span of telegraph wire in the world.

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## BOLOGNA SAUSAGE

ALLEGED TO HAVE CAUSED THE DEATH OF CHILD.

Father of Little Girl Claims She Was Poisoned—Suits Against Packing Company.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Sept. 17.—George A. Pike, as administrator for Ora Pike, has filed suit for \$2,000 against the Evansville Packing company upon rather unusual grounds.

The plaintiff states in his petition that his 3-year-old daughter died on July 3 from poison contained in some Bologna sausage which she ate. He charges that this sausage was put up by the defendant company and sold by them to a wholesale house and they in turn to a retail dealer in Kelley, who sold it to the family. He states that after the child died he had a sample of the sausage analyzed by a physician and it was found to contain poison. The charge is made that the defendant through negligence, in not taking proper precautions in packing the sausage, is responsible for the child's death.

### SHERIFF RENSHAW SUES.

Seeks to Obtain \$1,000 From the Former Sheriff of Christian.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Sept. 17.—J. M. Renshaw, appointed sheriff of Christian county when David Smith was ousted from the office, has filed suit against Mr. Smith, M. V. Dulin and James West on an indemnifying bond and against Mr. Smith personally, damage in the sum of \$1,000 being asked in each case. The suits are the outgrowth of the Shreveley case, which attracted so much attention while it was being tried out in the courts and which necessitated two decisions from the court of appeals before being finally decided, both these decisions being in favor of Mr. Renshaw.

The suits which have now been brought are for the purpose of recovering from Mr. Smith in the amount which Mr. Renshaw claims he lost and was damaged by being kept out of his office by injunction.

He cannot conquer sin who will not confess it.

## TOBACCO NEWS

### Leaf Tobacco.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 17.—Transactions on the local auction breaks were limited to 51 hogsheads of dark at two warehouses. The quality was fairly good and the condition good. The market showed no change as compared with the close last week and was fairly satisfactory to the seller. Prices ranged from \$7 to \$11.50.

### Leaf Tobacco Movement.

As compared with the totals for the corresponding month of last year, receipts and deliveries in the western markets during August, 1931, decreased, and stocks on hand September 1 increased in volume. In the seaboard markets, without Richmond reported, receipts and deliveries show an increase and stocks on hand a decrease. Receipts, deliveries and stocks in all markets show a decrease as compared with the figures of a year ago. In the western markets receipts during August, as compared with August, 1930, show a decrease of 7,479 hogsheads, or 49 per cent; deliveries a decrease of

6,819 hogsheads, or 45 per cent; stocks on hand September 1 an increase of 12,331 hogsheads, or 32 per cent. In the seaboard markets, as compared with the corresponding month last year, receipts in August, 1931, show an increase of 115 hogsheads, or 1.5 per cent; deliveries an increase of 368 hogsheads, or 5 per cent; stocks on hand September 1 a decrease of 16,582 hogsheads, or 57 per cent. Total receipts in all markets during August decreased 7,744 hogsheads, or 32 per cent, as compared with August, 1930; deliveries decreased 6,581 hogsheads, or 30 per cent; stocks on hand September 1 decreased 4,251 hogsheads, or 6 per cent.

Western Markets.	Receipts.	Deliveries.
Aug.	Aug.	Aug.
Cincinnati . . . . .	3,718	2,265
Louisville . . . . .	4,302	3,367
Clarksville . . . . .	189	1,045
Hopkinsville . . . . .	43	1,000
Paducah . . . . .	300	300
Mayfield . . . . .	400	400
Totals . . . . .	8,262	7,977

Seaboard Markets.	Receipts.	Deliveries.
New York . . . . .	1,368	1,218
Baltimore . . . . .	6,335	6,116
Richmond . . . . .	1,000	1,000
Totals . . . . .	7,903	7,434

Totals 1st S. . . . .16,165 15,411

\*Not reported.

Edwards, Goodman & Company, of Liverpool, in their review for August say: "There is nothing of special interest to report of the market during August. Sales of western leaf and stripe were less numerous than in the months immediately preceding, but some parcels of considerable size changed hands at firm prices. Rather more inquiry was experienced for Virginia and Carolina brights and semi-brights, but little actual business seems to have resulted."

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25 pieces extra good quality Apron Gingham that is worth 35c yard, Friday and Saturday, per yard, . . . . .5c

1 case of extra good yard-wide Washed Domestic, a dandy 35c value for per yard, . . . . .7c

1 case of extra good cambric finish Domestic, a good 10c value, for, per yard, . . . . .8c

One lot of white tailored Shirt Waists, made of a good grade of lawn with the new style button sleeves, special Friday and Saturday, . . . . .98c

50 doz. sheer cross-barred Muslin Handkerchiefs, a very dainty quality, special, doz., . . . . .55c

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For many previous years, and, according to Ed Tobacco, of Indiana, from August 30 to September 3 the raw tobacco sales amount to 25,976,200 pounds, which is the largest ever recorded for the same period of time.

The exportation of raw tobacco during August amounted to 108,480 pounds more than for the same month in 1930. The exportation of manufactured cigars has decreased.

### REPUBLICAN LEADERS PLEASED

Hughes Will Be Asked To Make Speeches In West.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—Republican leaders from fourteen Central and Western states, who were assembled here today in conference with Chairman Hitchcock, expressed their gratification at the reappointment of Hughes. Without exception these western leaders declared that the action of the New York conven-

tion will aid the Republicans in their campaigns in all of the debatable states of the west.

Requests that Gov. Hughes be sent into western states to make campaign addresses have been received in great numbers, and many of the chairmen of state central committees have been insistent in their demands.

Chairman Hitchcock and Senator Dixon, director of the speakers' bureau of the western quarters, left Chicago tonight for Cincinnati, where they will confer with Judge Taft concerning the itinerary arranged for the western trip.

### Brushing the Hair.

"Very few men brush their hair enough," said a downtown barber. "Most of the scalp can be traced to that fault. You see it's this way, a man is generally in a hurry when he dresses, and he never takes time to brush his hair, simply smooths it down, generally only with a

comb, and as a result dandruff is allowed to accumulate and trouble begins. Now, with a woman it's different. A woman has to carefully brush her hair at least once a day. If she didn't, it would be a pretty mess; its very length saves her, for in brushing it each day she gets out all sorts of impurities, dandruff and the like, all of which is for her own good. Now that is the chief reason why fewer women suffer from dandruff than the unfortunate members of the opposite sex, and it is a woman's crowning glory, even if she is fair, fat and 40. So, brush your hair every morning thoroughly. If you want to keep in the swim. You're right. Next, sir."

—Philadelphia Record.

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